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DATA BETWEEN A REMOTE DEVICE AND A HOST SYSTEM

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Sir:

Prior to the first official examination of the above-captioned application, please enter the following amendments to the claims in order to facilitate the examination of the present application by the Examiner.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please replace claim 80 with the following claim (a marked up copy of claim 80 showing the amendments to the claim is attached to this preliminary amendment):

1. 80. (Amended-clean copy) A method of dynamically routing data in a system comprising a first device and a plurality of remote devices, the first device being connected to a plurality of parallel wireless networks so that the plurality of networks can be monitored during a transmission, each of the remote devices being connected to one parallel wireless

